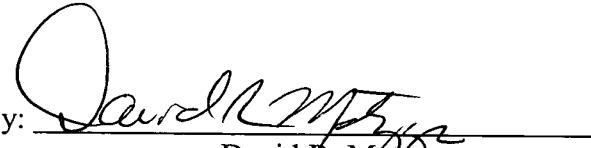


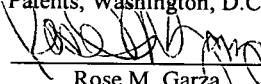
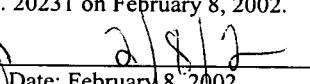
REMARKS

Claims 1-4 were pending and under consideration. Claims 1-4 were canceled in favor of new claims 5-44. Claims 5-44 were added. Claims 5-44 now are pending and under consideration.

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